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To provide grants to owners of intergenerational dwelling units, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. McGOVERN (for himself and Ms. PRESSLEY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

4 This Act may be cited as the “Grandfamily Housing
5 Act of 2021”.

6 SEC. 2. GRANT PROGRAM FOR GRANDFAMILY HOUSING.

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Title II of the LEGACY Act of
8 2003 is amended by adding at the end the following:

1 **“SEC. 206. GRANT PROGRAM.**

2 “(a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall, not later
3 than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this sec-
4 tion, establish a program to provide grants to owners of
5 intergenerational dwelling units.

6 “(b) APPLICATION.—To be eligible to receive a grant
7 under this section, an owner of an intergenerational dwell-
8 ing unit shall submit an application to the Secretary at
9 such time, in such manner, and containing such informa-
10 tion as the Secretary may reasonably require.

11 “(c) USE OF GRANT AMOUNTS.—An owner of an in-
12 tergenerational dwelling unit that receives a grant under
13 this section shall use amounts provided to cover costs asso-
14 ciated with—

15 “(1) employing a service coordinator to—

16 “(A) provide onsite services to intergenera-
17 tion families, including tutoring, health care
18 services, and afterschool care; and

19 “(B) coordinate with any local kinship nav-
20 igator program (as described in section
21 474(a)(7) of the Social Security Act);

22 “(2) facilitating outreach to intergenerational
23 families as described in subsection (c);

24 “(3) planning and providing services to inter-
25 generational families; and

1 “(4) maintaining spaces within the property
2 which contains the intergenerational dwelling unit
3 used for programing and services for intergenera-
4 tional families.

5 “(d) OUTREACH.—

6 “(1) IN GENERAL.—An owner of an intergen-
7 erational dwelling unit that receives a grant shall en-
8 gage with intergenerational families in the commu-
9 nity surrounding the property that contains the
10 grandfamily housing owned by the grant recipient
11 by—

12 “(A) performing periodic informational
13 outreach; and

14 “(B) planning and executing events for in-
15 tergenerational families.

16 “(2) COORDINATION.—Outreach shall, where
17 possible, be in coordination with a local kinship navi-
18 gator program (as described in section 474(a)(7) of
19 the Social Security Act) or a comparable program or
20 entity in the State in which the intergenerational
21 dwelling unit is located.”.

22 (b) REPORT.—Not later than 1 year after the date
23 of the enactment of this section, the Secretary of Housing
24 and Urban Development shall submit to the Congress a
25 report that—

1 (1) describes the effectiveness of the grant pro-
2 gram establish pursuant to section 206 of the LEG-
3 ACY Act of 2003; and

4 (2) makes recommendations for legislative
5 changes that could allow for the grant program to
6 be more effective.

7 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There
8 are authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary to carry
9 out this section \$50,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2022
10 and 2023.

